

In re: Gerald H. Negley
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REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement of May 17, 2006, Applicants hereby elect Claims 1-46 corresponding to Species I. Claims 47-56 have been cancelled. This cancellation is being made without prejudice to the filing of a divisional application for these claims and/or other claims. Applicants are not traversing the restriction requirement because Applicants agree that unpatentability of Species I would not necessarily imply unpatentability of Species II.

In view of the above, Applicants respectfully request favorable examination and allowance of Claims 1-46.

Respectfully submitted,



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